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Sir:

COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO AUGUST 7, 2001 NOTICE TO  
FILE CORRECTED OF APPLICATION PAPERS-FILING DATE GRANTED

This Communication is submitted in response to the August 7, 2001 Notice to File Corrected Application Papers - Filing Date Granted issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A copy of the Notice is attached hereto as Exhibit A. The Notice provides a period of two months for filing a response. Therefore a response is due October 7, 2001. Accordingly, this Communication is being timely filed.

The Notice to File Corrected Application Papers indicates that substitute drawings in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.84 must be filed because the drawing sheets allegedly do not have the appropriate margins. In response, applicants attach hereto as Exhibit B 30 sheets of substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR §1.84. The attached substitute drawings do not contain any issue of new matter.

The Notice also states that this application fails to comply with

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the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.81-1.825 and that applicants must provide an initial computer readable form of the sequencing list, an amendment directing directing its entry in the Application and a statement that the content of the paper copy is identical to the content of the computer readable form.

In response, applicants submit a paper copy of the Sequence Listing attached hereto as Exhibit C in compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.824. In addition applicants submit herewith a substitute computer readable form (CFR) copy of the "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.825(d). Further, applicants submit herewith as Exhibit D a statement in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(f), certifying that the computer readable form containing the nucleic acid and/or amino acid sequences as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.821(e) contains the same information as the information in the "Sequence Listing" attached at Exhibit C and contains no new matter.

If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone either of them at the number provided below.

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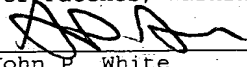
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